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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

DOUGLAS, Jonathan P.

Serial No.: 09/598,713

Filed: June 21, 2000

For: INSTRUCTION PIPE AND STALL
THEREFOR TO ACCOMMODATE
SHARED ACCESS TO RETURN STACK
BUFFER

Examiner: D.J. Huisman

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 26, 2004, kindly amend the application as follows:

Amendments to claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.